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Press Release Update: US-380 Reopened after Fatality Accident

FRISCO, TX – US-380 has been reopened after the Frisco Police Department concluded its on-scene investigation into a multi-car collision that resulted in two fatalities. The collision occurred earlier in the day at 4:35 p.m. when a vehicle traveling westbound on US-380 between Dallas Tollway and Preston Road lost control and spun into oncoming traffic. Two vehicles that were traveling eastbound struck the spinning westbound vehicle, killing two passengers and seriously injuring the driver.

The two deceased victims of this collision have been identified as 62-year-old Richard Wilbourn of Cedar Hill, Texas, and 92-year-old Katherine Nelson of Kemp, Texas. The victims were passengers in the car that was driven by 66-year-old Patricia Wilbourn of Cedar Hill, Texas. Patricia Wilbourn is still in critical condition.

As a correction to the earlier press release, no other persons involved in the collision were transported to local hospitals. Additionally, the vehicle that lost control was traveling westbound on US-380 and not eastbound, as originally reported.

Accident investigators have stated that no charges will be filed. Weather and icy roadway conditions have been identified as contributing factors in the collision. The Frisco Police Department is encouraging those who have to travel tonight and Christmas morning to do so with caution, as weather conditions have made some roadways slippery. "Traffic fatalities are always tragic events," noted Chief Todd Renshaw, "but even more sad this time of year."

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